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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	David M. Sabatini	Art Unit:	1636
Serial No.:	09/817,003	Examiner:	S. Kaushal
Filed:	March 22, 2001	Customer No.:	21559
Title:	ARRAYED TRANSFECTION METHOD AND USES RELATED THERETO		

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NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND  
INTERFERENCES UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31

Applicant respectfully appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated April 20, 2005, in which the Office rejected claims 160-177 and 237-240 of the above-captioned patent application.

Enclosed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is a Petition to extend the period for replying to the final rejection for three months, to and including October 20, 2005.

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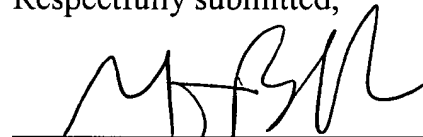
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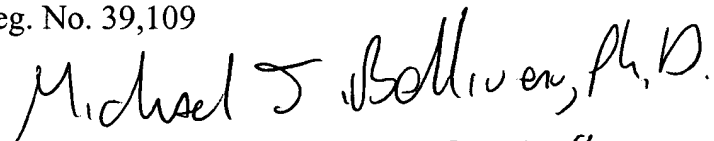
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